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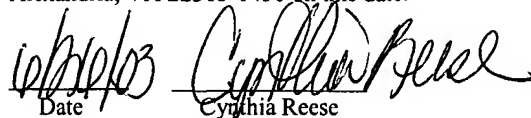
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USING AND COMPOSITIONS OF  
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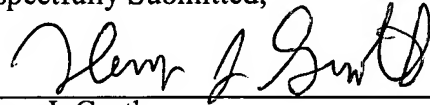
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		5,401,536	3/28/95	Shores	427	294	
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